

What is claimed is:

1. A molecular compound containing, as a constituent, a phenol derivative represented by Formula (I)

$$\begin{array}{c} R_1 \\ R_2 \\ R_5 \\ R_4 \end{array} \qquad (I)$$

[wherein R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>5</sub> are, same or different, groups selected from hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons, hydroxyl or

$$-so_2-y \qquad -c-z$$

(wherein Y and Z are alkyl having 1 to 8 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 8 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 6 carbons, hydroxyl, optionally substituted amino, optionally substituted cycloalkyl, optionally substituted phenyl or optionally substituted aralkyl);

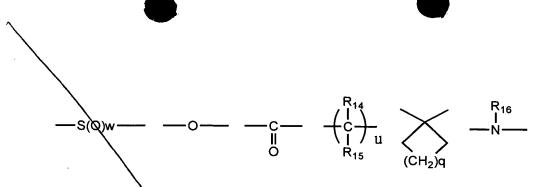
R<sub>2</sub> and R<sub>4</sub> are, same or different, hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl, but they are groups selected from hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons, hydroxyl or

(wherein Y and Z are as defined above), in case  $R_1$ ,  $R_3$  or  $R_5$  is almoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl;

R<sub>3</sub> is hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons, hydroxyl, Formula (II) or Formula (III)

$$R_{7}$$
  $R_{6}$   $R_{10}$   $R_{10}$   $R_{11}$   $R_{13}$   $R_{12}$   $R_{11}$   $R_{11}$   $R_{11}$   $R_{11}$ 

{wherein X is



(wherein w is 0, 1 or 2, u is 0 or 1; q is 0 to 4; R<sub>14</sub> and R<sub>15</sub> are, same or different, hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons, hydroxyl, optionally substituted phenyl or optionally substituted aralkyl; R<sub>16</sub> is hydrogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons, hydroxyl, optionally substituted phenyl or optionally substituted aralkyl);

R<sub>6</sub>, R<sub>9</sub> and R<sub>10</sub> are, same or different, groups selected from hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons, hydroxyl, or

(wherein Y and Z are as defined above);

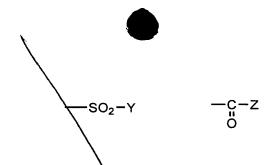
 $R_7$ ,  $R_8$ ,  $R_{11}$  and  $R_{13}$  are, same or different, hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl, but  $R_{11}$  is a group selected from hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons, hydroxyl or

(wherein Y and Z are as defined above) in case  $R_{12}$  is alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl;

R<sub>12</sub> is a group selected from hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons, hydroxyl or

$$--so_2-y$$
  $--c-z$ 

(wherein Y and Z are as defined above)}, or



(wherein Y and Z are as defined above), or when  $R_3$  is of Formula (II), one of  $R_1$ ,  $R_5$ ,  $R_6$  and  $R_9$  is a group represented by

(wherein Y and Z are as defined above)

when R<sub>3</sub> is of Formula (III), at least one of R<sub>1</sub>, R<sub>5</sub> and R<sub>10</sub> is a group represented by

$$-so_2-y$$
  $-c-z$ 

(wherein Y and Z are as defined above), and when  $R_3$  is a group other than Formula (II) or (III), either  $R_1$  or  $R_5$  is a group represented by

(wherein Y and Z are as defined above)].

2. A molecular compound containing, as a constituent, a phonol derivative represented by Formula (IV)

$$R_{17}$$
  $R_{18}$   $R_{21}$   $R_{22}$   $R_{21}$   $R_{22}$   $R_{23}$   $R_{20}$   $R_{19}$   $R_{24}$   $R_{23}$ 

[wherein A is a group selected from

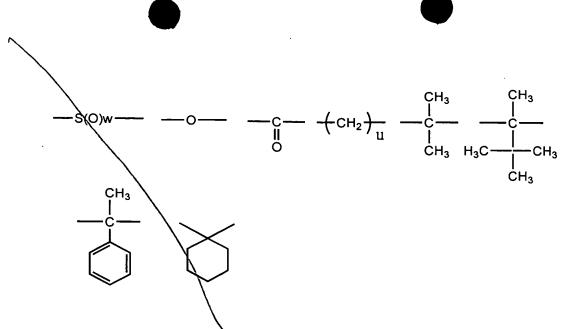
(wherein w is 0, 1 or 2 and u is 0 or 1);  $R_{18}$ ,  $R_{19}$ ,  $R_{21}$  and  $R_{24}$  are , same or different, hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons;  $R_{17}$  is

$$-so_2-y$$
  $\downarrow c-z$ 

(wherein Y and Z are alkyl having 1 to 6 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 6 carbons, cyclohexyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, cyclopentyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 1 to 4 carbons or halogen, benzyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, phenethyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, phenethyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen,  $\alpha$ -methylbenzyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, or naphthyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or the same groups as those for  $R_{17}$ ].

3. A molecular compound containing, as a constituent, a phenol derivative represented by Formula (V)

[wherein B is a group selected from



(wherein w is 0, 1 or 2 and u is 0 or 1);  $R_{26}$ ,  $R_{27}$ ,  $R_{30}$  and  $R_{32}$  are , same or different, hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons;  $R_{25}$ ,  $R_{28}$ ,  $R_{29}$  and  $R_{31}$  are , same or different, hydrogen, halogen, alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons, alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or

$$--so_2-y \qquad -c-z$$

(wherein Y and Z are alkyl having 1 to 6 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 6 carbons, cyclohexyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, cyclopentyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, phenethyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, phenethyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen,  $\alpha$ -methylbenzyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, or naphthyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, or naphthyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen), and at least one of  $R_{25}$ ,  $R_{28}$  and  $R_{29}$  is

$$--so_2-y$$
  $-c-z$ 

(wherein Y and Z are alkyl having 1 to 6 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 6 carbons,

cyclohexyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, cyclopentyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, phenyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, phenethyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, phenethyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen,  $\alpha$ -methylbenzyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, or naphthyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, or naphthyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, or naphthyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen].

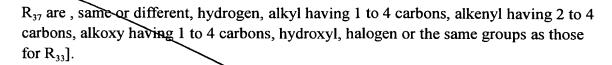
4. A molecular compound containing, as a constituent, a phenol derivative represented by Formula (VI)

$$R_{33}$$
  $R_{34}$   $R_{35}$   $R_{37}$   $R_{36}$   $R_{36}$   $(V I)$ 

[wherein R<sub>33</sub> is

$$-so_2-y$$
  $-c-x$ 

(wherein Y and Z are alkyl having 1 to 6 carbons, alkenyl having 2 to 6 carbons, cyclohexyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, phenyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, phenethyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, phenethyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen,  $\alpha$ -methylbenzyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, or naphthyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, or naphthyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, or naphthyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or alkenyl having 2 to 4 carbons or alkoxy having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, or naphthyl which may have alkyl having 1 to 4 carbons or hydroxyl or halogen, and  $R_{34}$ ,  $R_{35}$ ,  $R_{36}$  and



- 5. A molecular compound according to Claims 1 to 4, in which the molecular compound is a clathrate compound.
- 6. A molecular compound according to Claims 1 to 5, in which the molecular compound contains, as constituents, a phenol derivative of Formula (I), (IV), (V) or (VI) and antibacterial agents, antifungal agents, insecticides, noxious insect repellants, perfumes, deodorants, antifouling agents, curing agents and accelerators for coating materials, resins and adhesives, natural essential oils, antioxidants, vulcanization accelerators or organic solvents, that react with the said phenol derivative to form a molecular compound.
- 7. A process for producing a molecular compound according to Claims 1 to 6, in which a phenol derivative of Formula (I), (IV), (V) or (VI) is reacted with constituent compounds that react with the said phenol compound to form a molecular compound.

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